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Case Title: Team, Inc.	Reporting Office: Dallas, TX, Area Office
Subject of Report:	Activity Date:
Interview	April 8, 2010
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their assigned number of component checks by allow pay as incentive. Supervisors asked why was "punching in" (a way to falsify leak test results while	still finding leaks and if anyone told about the sitting inside a vehicle.) sit inside a company vehicle for long periods of apponent leak checks by mid day.
On 04/08/2010 at approximately 1322 hours, Special Agent and Texas Parks was interviewed at interview and voluntarily provided the following inf	was apprised of the purpose of the
recalled that TEAM required and provided written at The training included policy, procedures, and regular was documented on certificates and electronically. permanent TEAM employees: the LDAR equipment stated the LDAR equipment using cartridges. The equipment had to read within	ations. Successful completion of the training and added the second week was spent with , learning how to calibrate and operate ipment was calibrated daily, for different gases,
described the LDAR equipment as a machine (tube); the probe was held near the component being draw in air from around the component, the machine analysis were displayed on a hand held scanner. be checked was preprogrammed into the scanner; the components along with a map showing their location check 250 to 300 components in a work day; the variations of the components in the components i	e would analyze the air, and readings from the stated that each day a list of components to the LDAR technician received a list of the added that technicians could typically

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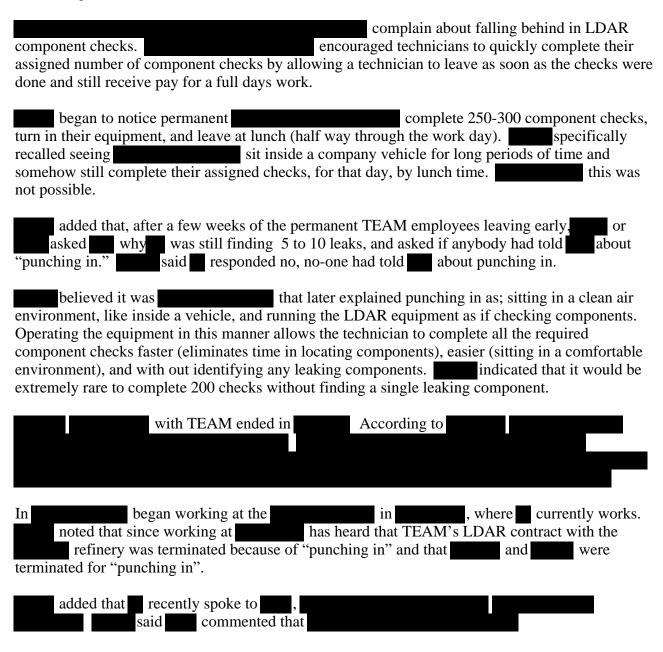
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location.

If a component was found to be leaking; the component was tagged, a leak tag was filled out, the component information was put into the scanner, a first attempt at repairing the component was made, and the component was checked a second time.

At the end of a work day (around 1700 hours) the LDAR technicians would turn in their equipment, the information from the LDAR scanners was down loaded into a computer, and an LDAR report (components checked, leaking, repaired) was generated. A copy of the LDAR report goes to TEAM and a copy goes to the facility. Any leaking components are subject to further repair and monitoring.



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The interview ended at approximately 1520 hours.

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